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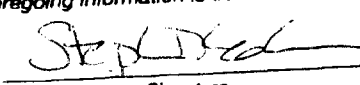
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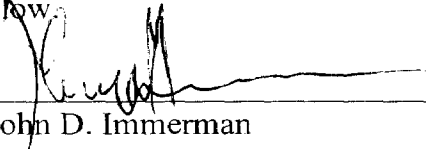
ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, we, John D. Immerman, Carl J. Kraenzel and William A. Mills have invented certain improvements in SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR PROVIDING A DISTRIBUTABLE RUNTIME THAT DEPLOYS WEB APPLICATIONS AND SERVICES FROM A WORKFLOW, ENTERPRISE, AND MAIL-ENABLED WEB APPLICATION SERVER & PLATFORM a United States patent application, the specification of which was filed on June 19, 2000 and assigned application number 09/597,997

WHEREAS, INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS MACHINES CORPORATION, a corporation of New York, having a place of business at Armonk, New York 10504, (hereinafter called IBM), desires to acquire the entire right, title and interest in the said application and invention, and to any United States and foreign patents to be obtained therefor;

NOW THEREFORE, for a valuable consideration, receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, we the above named hereby sell, assign, and transfer to IBM, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in the said application and invention therein disclosed for the United States and foreign countries, and all rights of priority resulting from the filing of said United States application, and we request the Commissioner of Patents to issue any Letters Patent granted upon the invention set forth in said application to IBM, its successors and assigns; and we hereby agree that IBM may apply for foreign Letters Patent on said invention and we will execute all papers necessary in connection with the United States and foreign applications when called upon to do so by IBM.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hand and affixed our seals the date set forth below:

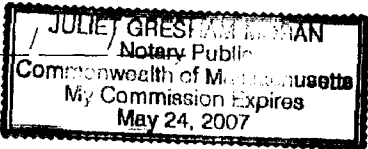
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John D. Immerman

Commonwealth of Massachusetts)
County of Middlesex)

On this 16th day of October, 2000, before me personally came John Immerman [name] who is personally known to me, or who proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence, to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing assignment, and he acknowledged to me that he executed the same as his free act and deed.


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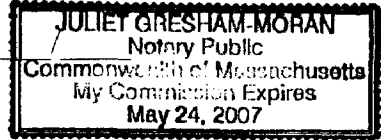
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Carl J. Kraenzel

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On this 13th day of October, 2000, before me personally came ^{Carl J. Kraenzel} [name] who is personally known to me, or who proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence, to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing assignment, and he acknowledged to me that he executed the same as his free act and deed.

Juliet Gresham Moran
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Inventor (3): William A. Mills
William A. Mills

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